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C O N F I D E N T I A L BAGHDAD 1593

FOR SY AND NEA/TARN

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: OTRA, ASEC, PDIP, IZ  
SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR SECURITY PROTECTION FOR IRAQI VIP

REF: BAGHDAD 1568

1. ACTING CHIEF OF PROTOCOL REQUESTED SEPT 11 THAT USG  
PROVIDE PROTECTION TO MR. HAITHAM AHMED AL-NASIRI, SON  
OF IRAQI PRESIDENT BAKR, WHILE HAITHAM IS IN US ON PRIVATE  
VISIT. IRAQIS ANTICIPATE NO SPECIFIC THREAT, BUT AS DEPARTMENT  
KNOWS, THEY HAVE PLENTY OF ENEMIES. I INSISTED THAT FOREIGN  
MINISTRY INFORM IRAQI MISSION TO UN AND IRAQ INT WASHINGTON OF  
THEIR REQUEST, BUT DEPARTMENT SHOULD FOLLOW UP WITH IRAQ INT  
TO BE SURE THEY UNDERSTAND THAT PROTECTION IS AT GOI REQUEST.

2. HAITHAM TRAVELS TO NEW YORK JFK ON LUFTHANSA 404 FROM  
FRANKFURT ON SEPT 13. HE WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY A PHYSICIAN,  
DR. FAROK ABED NAJIM AL-ABDALI. AT LEAST INITIALLY, THEY  
PLAN TO STAY AT WALDORF. THEY BOTH SPEAK SOME ENGLISH.

3. APPRECIATE THAT THERE MAY BE HEAVY LOAD ON SY AT THIS TIME  
BUT URGE THAT DEPARTMENT TAKE ALL POSSIBLE MEASURES IN INTEREST  
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OF IMPROVING US-IRAQI RELATIONS BY MAKING FAVORABLE PERSONAL  
IMPRESSION WITH HAITHAM AND PRESIDENT BAKR. MACK

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